

MOSCON 94

THE SECOND MOSCOW CONFERENCE ON CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL ARMS CONTROL, DEMILITARIZATION AND CONVERSION

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PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS

The President's Committee on Matters Pertaining to the Chemical and Biological Weapons Conventions and the Academy of Sciences of the Russian Federation, in cooperation with the Chemical and Biological Arms Control Institute and EAI Corporation, announce MOSCON 94, to be held in Moscow, Russia, April 20-22, 1994. The conference will bring together key international experts and decision makers, addressing the important questions surrounding the implementation and enforcement of the provisions of arms control agreements dealing with chemical and biological weapons. The practical consequences of modern disarmament and nonproliferation are being played out in the republics of the former Soviet Union, even as the nations of the world prepare to ratify the Chemical Weapons Convention (CWC). MOSCON 94 provides an opportunity to address these issues in a timely and influential forum.

The conference will consist of formal presentations during plenary session, smaller workshops on selected topics, and technical and organizational displays.

Participation in the Second Moscow Conference is by invitation only. Persons requesting further information on how to receive an invitation or reserve display space should contact the MOSCON 94 Conference Director at the address/telephone number below.

Conference sponsors invite the submittal of papers for possible presentation on the following subjects:

- Destruction of Chemical Weapons
 - Technical Approaches to CWC Demilitarization
 - Non-Stockpile (Old and Abandoned) Chemical Weapons
 - International Cooperation
 - Safety and Environmental Protection
 - Monitoring and Verification

- CWC Implementation
- Training of Inspectors for the CWC
- CBW Counterproliferation
- The Biological Weapons Convention

Abstracts of proposed papers should be submitted to the Conference Director at the address (or fax number) below. Abstracts should be submitted no later than January 1, 1994. Submittals will be reviewed by the Organizing Committee, and successful candidates will be notified of their acceptance beginning in mid-January. Submittals cannot be returned, and will become the property of the Organizing Committee.

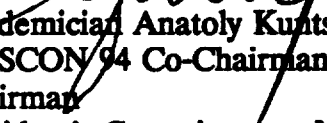
The Radisson Slavjanskaya Hotel in downtown Moscow will serve as the site of MOSCON 94. This modern, Western-style hotel will provide conference facilities, display spaces, and accommodations, as well as a full range of amenities and a number of on-site restaurants. Information on reservations will be provided with the invitation packages, which will be mailed starting in early December.


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